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PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1787.

THE Members of the Philadelphia Contributionſhip for inſuring Houſes from loſs by fire, are deſired to meet at the Court-houſe, on the 9th day of April next, between the hours of two and five in the afternoon, in order to chooſe twelve Directors and a Treaſurer for the enſuing year, when ſome alteration in the inſuring of houſes will be propoſed for the conſideration of the contributors.

By order of the Directors,

‡ CALEB CARMALT, Clerk.

On *Tueſday*, the 17th of *April* next,

and the following Days, until the whole be ſold,

Will be expoſed to Sale by Public Vendue,

Upon the Premiſes,

ALL thoſe Meſſuages, Mills, Forges, Furnaces and Tracts of Land, with the appurtenances, ſituate in the townſhips of Robeſon, Amity and Union, in the county of Berks, and in the townſhip of Nantmill, &c. in the county of Cheſter, commonly known by the name of *Birdſborough*. Theſe lands conſiſt of many contiguous tracts, containing in the whole about 7000 acres, ſome of which are well improved, and the remainder capable of great improvements. They will be divided in ſuch manner as to accommodate the different purchaſers of the Mills, Forges, Furnaces, and the remainder will be laid off in tracts, of quantities ſuitable for Plantations. A general Plan of the whole is preparing, and copies will be ſent to ſome of the moſt public places in the neighbourhood, and a more particular deſcription of them will be inſerted in the Engliſh and German newſpapers, as ſoon as poſſible.

Alſo, Two third parts of Spring Forge and the Lands thereunto belonging, containing about 900 acres, ſituate upon Manatawny creek, near Pottſgrove, in the county of Berks.

The terms of payment will be made known in a ſucceeding advertiſement.

JOHN NIXON.

Philadelphia, March 1, 1787.

Wants a place, as a Wet-Nurſe,

A WOMAN, with a good breaſt of Milk. Enquire of the Printers.

Cheſter, March 20, 1787.

ALL perſons who ſtand indebted to the eſtate of CATHERINE WISTAR, late of the city of Philadelphia, widow, deceaſed, by mortgage, bond, note or otherwiſe, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid eſtate, are deſired to exhibit them for ſettlement, to the ſubſcriber, in the borough of Cheſter, in Cheſter county.

HENRY HALE GRAHAM,

§ Acting Executor.

Montgomery county, March 16, 1787.

To be SOLD at public Vendue,

On the premiſes, on the 10th day of April next,

A VALUABLE Merchant Mill, with two pair of ſtones, one of them burrs, with every neceſſary apparatus to make them compleat for merchant work, the mill houſe large and built of ſtone, the water wheel under the ſame roof; there is on the premiſes a good two ſtory ſtone dwelling-houſe and kitchen, with a ſtone barn and ſtables, 6 acres of good watered meadow, an orchard, and the remainder tillable, with a ſmall quantity of wood land; the whole containing 35 acres, laying on that never failing ſtream of water, known by the name of Pennypack creek, and in Moreland townſhip, Montgomery county, 14 miles from Philadelphia. The payments will be made eaſy, and attendance will be given by the ſubſcriber.

¶ GEORGE BROWN.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Honorable Thomas M'Kean, Eſquire, Doctor of Laws, Chief Juſtice of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennſylvania, and of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, in and for the ſaid State; the Honorable William Auguſtus Atlee, Eſquire, and the Honorable Jacob Ruſh, Eſquire, Juſtices of the ſaid Courts, have iſſued their precept, bearing date the twenty-ſecond day of March (inſt.) to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, at the State-Houſe, in the city of Philadelphia, for the city and county of Philadelphia, on Monday, the ſixteenth day of April next:

NOTICE is hereby given to all juſtices of the peace, the coroners, eſcheators and conſtables, within the ſaid city and county, that they be then and there in their own perſons, with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do thoſe things which to their offices, in that behalf, appertain to be done: alſo, all they who will proſecute againſt the priſoners that are or then ſhall be in the gaol of the ſaid city and county, are to be then and there, to proſecute againſt them as ſhall be juſt.

Dated at Philadelphia, the twenty-third day of March, in the year of our Lord one thouſand ſeven hundred and eighty-ſeven, and the eleventh year of American Independence.

JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.

GOD SAVE THE COMMONWEALTH!

Naaman's creek, March 26, 1787.

To be LET for a term of years,

THE MILLS, ſituated on the head of the tide water at Naaman's creek, and belonging to the eſtate of Abraham Robinſon, Eſq; deceaſed, ; they conſiſt of a griſt-mill compleatly fitted for merchant and country work, with two pair of beſt burrs, a ſaw-mill and oil-mill, both in good repair. The whole within 20 miles of Philadelphia, where the great road to Wilmington paſſes the creek, in a populous neighbourhood, within one mile of Marcus-hook, and having the great advantage of water carriage to the mill tail. With the above will be rented a large brick bake-houſe, coopers-ſhop, and a ſmall houſe where the miller or manager of the works may reſide. The manſion houſe a large convenient brick building, nearly adjoining the mill, with paled garden, ſmoke-houſe and ſtable, and about 14 acres of land, will alſo be let. Should any perſon renting the mill incline to reſide on the premiſes, the whole will be let on leaſe for three or more years, and may be entered on as ſoon as the agreement is compleated.

All perſons having demands againſt the above eſtate, are requeſted to bring in their accounts for ſettlement; and thoſe indebted either on bond, note or by book account, are deſired to make immediate payment.

SARAH ROBINSON, Executrix,
THOMAS ROBINSON, Executor.

Cuſtom-Houſe, *March* 23, 1787.

The following extracts are publiſhed, in order to prevent all merchants and others giving bonds for duties ſuffering through want of information or neglect.

"AND be it further enacted by the authority aforeſaid, That every ſuch bond ſo taken for the payment of duties as aforeſaid, ſhall, at and from the time of executing the ſame, have and take the like effect with a judgment entered in a court of record, and execution levied by the Sheriff, ſo far as relates to the binding of the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of the obliger or obligers in any ſuch bond.

"And be it further enacted by the authority aforeſaid, That the Collector of the Port of Philadelphia, or Deputy Collector of an inland diſtrict, when and ſo often as any ſuch bond ſhall become due, ſhall demand payment thereof, or proſecute an action or actions for the money due thereon; and if the Collector ſhall neglect or delay to put any ſuch bond in ſuit more than ten days after the ſame ſhall have become due, he ſhall in every ſuch caſe be deemed to have the money due thereon in his poſſeſſion, and account for the ſame accordingly, as if actually by him received.

"And be it further enacted by the authority aforeſaid, That all bonds which hereafter under this act, or any other act impoſing any duties or impoſts on the importation of goods, wares or merchandiſe into this ſtate, ſhall be made and given for the uſe of the commonwealth, to the Collector of the Port of Philadelphia, for the payment of the ſaid duties or impoſts, or any of them, at a certain day, ſhall and may be taken by the ſaid Collector with a power of attorney underwritten, endorſed or annexed thereto, directed to the Attorney-General of the ſtate, or to any other Attorney of the ſupreme court, or any of the courts of common pleas of this ſtate, empowering either of them to confeſs judgment or judgments on one or more declaration or declarations, filed in one or more of the ſaid courts, as occaſion may require, as of any term or terms paſt in the ſaid courts, for the penalty of any ſuch bond, on non-payment at the day of the ſum or ſums mentioned in the condition of the ſame, for the more ſpeedy recovery of the ſaid ſum or ſums ſo mentioned in ſuch condition, with the intereſt which may be due, together with coſts of ſuit; which power of attorney ſhall be executed by the perſon or perſons giving ſuch bond, at the ſame time that he or they execute ſuch bond."

And whereas many bonds given on the exportation of goods, wares and merchandiſe, have not been cancelled by certificates agreeable to law: Notice is hereby given to all concerned, That unleſs proper certificates or vouchers are produced on or before the firſt day of May next enſuing, all ſuch bonds will be put in ſuit agreeable to the act of Aſſembly in ſuch caſe made and provided.

To be SOLD or LET,

And may be entered upon the firſt of April,

A CONVENIENT two ſtory ſtone houſe, with two rooms on a floor, a good ſtone kitchen, and cellars under the whole, a garden, bearing orchard, and a four acre lot of watered meadow; alſo a ſix acre lot of arable upland, of the beſt quality; the whole pleaſantly ſituated in Newton, in the county of Bucks. For terms, apply to the ſubſcriber, in Newton aforeſaid.

§ FRANCIS MURRAY.

Williſtown, February 20, 1787.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of Samuel Phipps, of Williſtown, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to bring them in properly proved, that the accounts may be ſettled, by PHINEAS MASSEY, and ISAAC LEWIS, Executors.

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RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Buckingham townſhip, Bucks county, ſtate of Pennſylvania, on the 13th of March, 1787, an apprentice LAD, named Moſes Young, about 19 years of age, ſlender made and fair complexion; had on, when he went away, a white felt hat, a brown faced linſey coat, a dark brown veſt lined with green baize, leather breeches, blue woollen ſtockings, good ſhoes and ſteel buckles. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid lad, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have TWO DOLLARS reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

¶ JOHN BETTS.

SAMUEL SCOTTEN,

WHALE-BONE-CUTTER,

At No. 383, Cheſnut-ſtreet, between Front and Second-ſtreets,

HAS a good aſſortment of common cut Whalebone; he alſo cuts and prepares whalebone in the Engliſh manner, equal to Britiſh, to ſuit for bonnet, ſtay, umbrella and whip-makers; he has alſo a good aſſortment of bruſhes, ſhaving-boxes, black-ball, ivory and horn combs, &c. which he will ſell on reaſonable terms.-----As no one here hath attempted manufacturing whalebone in the Britiſh manner, he apprehends few know the quality of ſuch bone; but as there is little or no waſte in it, he flatters himſelf the conſumers will find it their intereſt to encourage it, which will enable him to carry on the whalebone buſineſs in ſo extenſive a manner, as to ſell his dreſs'd bone at as low or lower price than common bone has ſold for when the buſineſs was in one man's hand. A generous allowance to country ſhopkeepers and others, who buy by the dozen or large quantity to ſell again. Orders from the country attended to with care and diſpatch. ¶

TO BE LET,

A PLANTATION, containing 60 acres, ſituated at the corner of Turner's lane and Germantown road. Enquire of the ſubſcriber, in Second below Dock-ſtreet.

March 17, 1787. JONATHAN MIFFLIN.

N. B. A quantity of HAY for ſale. ‡

Benſalem townſhip, Bucks county, Feb. 22, 1787.

WAS found this morning at the ſubſcriber's gate, a Man's Saddle and Bridle. Whoever has loſt the ſame, by applying as above, paying for this advertiſement, and proving their property, may have them again.

§ SAMUEL SCOTT.

EXTRACTS from the Minutes of the Second Seſſion of the ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY *of the* COMMONWEALTH *of* PENNSYLVANIA.

[Continued from our laſt.]

MONDAY, March 5, 1787. P. M.

The committee appointed February 28th, on the petition of William Alexander, made report, which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The committee appointed February 28th, on the ſeveral petitions for receiving certificates in payment for unpatented lands, made report, which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The committee appointed December 14th laſt, on the petitions relative to the collection of the exciſe, made report, which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

On motion, Ordered, That the order of the day for the third reading of the bill, entituled "An Act to amend an act, entituled "An Act for the regulation of bankruptcy," be poſtponed.

The bill, entituled "An Act to eſtabliſh a ferry over the river Schuylkill, near Spring-mill, in the county of Montgomery, and for veſting the right in Peter Le Gaux, his heirs and aſſigns," was read the ſecond time, debated by paragraphs, ordered to be tranſcribed, and in the mean time printed for public conſideration.

The bill, entituled "A Supplement to the act, entituled "An Act for the further relief of the public creditors who are citizens of this ſtate, by receiving on loan certain debts of the United States of America, and for funding the ſame, and for paying the annual intereſt of ſuch loans, and the intereſt of certain debts of this ſtate, every ſix months," was read the ſecond time, debated by paragraphs, ordered to be tranſcribed, and in the mean time printed for public conſideration.

The Houſe reſumed the conſideration of the bill, entituled "An Act to incorporate the Preſbyterian church in the townſhip of Londonderry, in the county of Dauphin;" and having in part further debated the ſame by paragraphs, the further conſideration thereof was poſtponed.

The following bills having been brought in engroſſed, were ſeverally compared at the table, enacted into laws, and the Speaker directed to ſign the ſame, viz.

An ACT for incorporating the German Lutheran congregation in and near the borough of Lancaſter, in the ſtate of Pennſylvania.

An ACT to incorporate the congregation of Seventh-day Baptiſts reſiding within the townſhip of Eaſt-Nantmill, and places adjacent, in the county of Cheſter.

An ACT to exonerate and diſcharge David Cloyd, late treaſurer of ſtate taxes in and for the county of Cheſter, from the payment of two hundred and ſeventy pounds nine ſhillings ſpecie, of which he was robbed.

An ACT to alter and amend an act, entituled "An Act to prevent frauds in the packing and preſerving of ſhad and herring for exportation."

TUESDAY, March 6, 1787. A. M.

A petition from the Commiſſioners of the city and county of Philadelphia was read, ſetting forth, that by an act of Aſſembly, paſſed the ſeventeenth day of February, 1762, a lot of ground, part of the State-houſe ſquare, was veſted in Truſtees, for the purpoſe of building a Court-houſe for the accommodation of the public buſineſs of the ſaid county; that by another act, paſſed February 8th, 1785, the ſum of three thouſand pounds, ariſing from the ſale of the old gaol and work-houſe, is appropriated for that purpoſe; but that they are confined to the line of Cheſnut-ſtreet, although Council coincide in opinion with them, that the front of the ſaid building ſhould fall back from the line of Cheſnut-ſtreet about fifteen feet; therefore praying an act may be paſſed, enabling them to extend the ſaid building twelve or fifteen feet further ſouthward.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Abraham Lukens was read, ſetting forth, that Catharine Jones, of the city of Philadelphia, by her laſt will, bequeathed unto her three nieces, Elizabeth Jones, now the wife of Robert Lukens, Mary Jones and Catharine Jones, the ſum of fifty pounds, which ſaid Mary and Catharine died in their minority, whereby the ſaid Elizabeth became entitled to the whole legacy; that Gayner Bartholomew, who afterwards intermarried with David Kinſey, was appointed executrix of the ſaid laſt will; that the ſaid money was placed at intereſt in the hands of John Fox for the advantage of the ſaid Elizabeth; that the ſaid John Fox was attainted of high treaſon, and his eſtate, real and perſonal, ſold for the uſe of this commonwealth; that the ſaid Elizabeth intermarried with Robert Lukens, the ſon of the petitioner, who aſſigned the ſame to him; that the petitioner proceeded to New-York, in order to recover the ſaid legacy of the ſaid John Fox, but without effect; that he is precluded from recovering the legacy, except by the interpoſition of the legiſlature; therefore praying this Houſe to grant him relief in the premiſes.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Moſes M'Clean, a deputy ſurveyor within the county of York, was read, ſtating divers diſadvantages the ſurveyors labour under, for want of their fees being regulated by law, and praying this Houſe to take the premiſes into conſideration.

Ordered to lie on the table.

Petitions from a number of the inhabitants of the county of Luzerne were read, praying for a confirmation of their titles to certain lands in that county; and on motion, and by ſpecial order, the ſame were read the ſecond time, and committed.

Petitions from 311 inhabitants of the townſhips of Peters and Montgomery, in the county of Franklin, were read, praying to be authoriſed to hold their general elections at Mercerſburgh, in the ſaid county.

Ordered to lie on the table.

The petition of Philip Dick and Catharine his wife, read March 3d, was read the ſecond time, and committed.

The committee appointed for the purpoſe, reported a bill, entituled "An Act for opening and eſtabliſhing a road between the navigable waters of the Franks town branch of the river Juniata and the river Conemaugh," which was read the firſt time, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The committee appointed for the purpoſe, reported a bill, entituled "An Act for co-operating with the ſtate of Maſſachuſetts Bay, agreeably to the articles of confederation, in the apprehending of the proclaimed rebels Daniel Shays, Luke Day, Adam Wheeler and Eli Parſons," which was read the firſt time, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The committee appointed for the purpose, reported a bill, entituled "An Act to alter the test of allegiance to this commonwealth required by an act passed the fourth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six, entituled "An Act for securing to this commonwealth the fidelity and allegiance of the inhabitants thereof, and for admitting certain persons to the rights of citizenship;" which was read the first time, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

A member, in his place, having read a bill, entituled "An Act for the future endowment of the Pittsburgh academy," and obtained leave, presented the same to the Speaker, when it was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the House resumed the consideration of the bill, entituled "An Act to empower the Supreme Executive Council to lay out a town, and otherwise to apportion the lands contained in the tract of land reserved to the use of the state by the act, entituled "An Act for the sale of certain lands therein mentioned, for the purpose of redeeming and paying off the certificates of depreciation given to the officers and soldiers of the Pennsylvania line, or their representatives; and for appropriating certain other lands therein mentioned for the use of the said officers and soldiers, to be divided off to them severally at the end of the war;" and having fully debated the same by paragraphs, it was ordered to be engrossed, for the purpose of being enacted into a law.

WEDNESDAY, March 7, 1787. A. M.

A petition from Paul Hausman, an insolvent debtor, confined in the gaol of the county of Lancaster, was read, praying to be released from further confinement.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Joseph Hart, jun. and Thomas Folwell, Executors of the last will and testament of John Hart, deceased, late treasurer of the county of Bucks, was read, setting forth, that the said John Hart was robbed of divers sums of money, to the amount of thirty-seven pounds four shillings, the property of this commonwealth, and praying the estate of the deceased may be exonerated from the payment thereof.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A memorial from Robert Taylor, of Lower-Merion township, in the county of Montgomery, callicoe printer and bleacher, was read, referring to his petition presented to a former House of Assembly, March 26th, 1785, and praying this House to take the same into consideration, and grant him such encouragement as they may deem necessary.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Daniel Burkhard, late a Major in the German regiment, and of the line of this state, was read, praying to be allowed the depreciation due on his pay; and on motion, and by special order, the same was read the second time, and referred to the committee appointed November 15th last, on the petitions of Daniel Vanderslice and others, to report thereon.

A petition from divers citizens, late officers in the Military Hospitals, was read, praying they may be entitled to a proportionable part of the donation lands allotted to the officers and soldiers of the late Pennsylvania line; and on motion, and by special order, the same was read the second time, and referred to the last named committee, to report thereon.

A petition from John M. Ludwick and Adam Hendle, late soldiers in the company of artillery commanded by Captain Bernard Romans, was read, setting forth, that they inlisted and continued in the service for one year; that their said Captain deserted before the expiration of the time of their inlistment, without having paid them the amount of pay due to them; and praying this House to grant them relief in the premises; and on motion, and by special order, the same was read the second time, and referred to the last named committtee, to report thereon.

The committee appointed February 24th, on the petition of 169 inhabitants of the district of Southwark, made report, which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The committee appointed December 26th last, on the petition of Joseph Hugg, made report, which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entituled "An Act for co-operating with the state of Massachusetts-Bay, agreeably to the articles of confederation, in the apprehending of the proclaimed rebels Daniel Shays, Luke Day, Adam Wheeler and Eli Parsons," was read the second time, debated by paragraphs, ordered to be transcribed, and in the mean time printed for public consideration.

The committee appointed for the purpose, reported a bill, entituled "An Act to repeal part of the act, entituled "An Act to regulate the general elections of this commonwealth, and to prevent frauds therein, and to amend and alter the act for the better regulation of juries," which was read the first time, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the bill, entituled "An Act for reducing the expences of government," was read the third time, and debated by paragraphs.

And on the question,---"Shall the same be engrossed, for the purpose of being enacted into a law?"

It was determined in the negative.

The bill, entituled "An Act to enable the committee of the estate of John Vanderen (who is non compos mentis) to sell and convey some parts of his real and personal estate, for the payment of some of his debts; to mortgage other parts of his real estate, to secure the payment of others of his debts; to lease for a term of years parts of his real estate; and for other purposes therein mentioned;" having been brought in engrossed, was compared at the table, enacted into a law, and the Speaker directed to sign the same.

Agreeably to leave given, a member presented to the chair a bill, entituled "An Act for incorporating the German reformed congregation of Frankford, in the township of Oxford, and county of Philadelphia," which was read the first time, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

THURSDAY, March 8, 1787. A. M.

A petition from divers inhabitants of the township of Wyoming, in the county of Northumberland, was read, stating their distressed situation, and praying they may be exonerated from the payment of all taxes heretofore assessed on them.

Ordered to lie on the table.

Petitions from a number of the inhabitants of the county of Cumberland were read, praying certificates for debts due to the citizens of this state from the United States may be received in payment for unpatented lands.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Charles Bessonett was read, remonstrating against the bill, entituled "An Act to establish the right of Joseph Vandegrift and Joseph Baldwin in and to a ferry over Neshaminy creek, in the county of Bucks, on the main road from Philadelphia to Bristol, and to authorise them to maintain a bridge across the said creek at the said place," in as much as it will tend to the ruin of the petitioner, and considerably injure the bridge erected by him and Gersham Johnson over the said creek, under the act, entituled "An Act for confirming a road, establishing a ferry, and erecting a bridge across Neshaminy creek," and praying leave to bring in a bill, appointing commissioners to declare the compensation to be given to the petitioner, and upon payment thereof that the same be established a free bridge, agreeably to the tenor and meaning of the said last recited act, or to grant him such other relief as this House may deem expedient.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Joseph Smith and others was read, setting forth, that Valentine Nelson, late of Middletown township, in the county of Bucks, died, having made his last will and testament, and thereby bequeathed his real estate unto the petitioners; that a certain James Cooper and Naomi his wife, who were house-keepers to the deceased, privately withdrew, and carried with them the papers of the deceased, until after his interment, when they returned and took possession of the said estate; that the petitioners have several witnesses to prove the facts stated in their petition; therefore praying this House to grant them relief in the premises. Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Andrew Forrell, late a Lieutenant in the third Pennsylvania regiment, was read, praying to be entitled to such emoluments as officers of equal rank are entitled to; and on motion, and by special order, the same was read the second time, and referred to the committee appointed November 15th last, on the petitions of Daniel Vanderslice and others.

A petition from John Morris, late chief Surgeon to the legion commanded by General Armand, was read, praying to be entitled to part of the donation lands allotted to the officers and soldiers of the Pennsylvania line; and on motion, and by special order, the same was read the second time, and referred to the last named committee, to report thereon.

The committee appointed December 27th, on the memorial from the minister, elders, trustees and other members of the Scots Presbyterian church in Philadelphia, &c. made report, which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the House resumed the consideration of the report on the petition of a number of the inhabitants of the western parts of this state, postponed March 2d, and after considerable debate thereon, the further consideration thereof was postponed.

Agreeably to leave given, a member presented to the chair a bill, entituled "An Act to incorporate the Protestant Episcopal Church at York-town," which was read the first time, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The committee appointed for the purpose, reported a bill, entituled "An Act for regulating chimney sweepers within the city of Philadelphia, and the district of Southwark, and the township of the Northern Liberties," which was read the first time, and Ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entituled "An Act for co-operating with the state of Massachusetts Bay, agreeably to the Articles of Confederation, in the apprehending of the proclaimed rebels Daniel Shays, Luke Day, Adam Wheeler and Eli Parsons," was read the third time, debated by paragraphs, and ordered to be engrossed, for the purpose of being enacted into a law.

FRIDAY, March 9, 1787. A. M.

Petitions from 1921 inhabitants of the county of Berks, and 382 inhabitants of the counties of Chester and Cumberland, were read, remonstrating against the bill, entituled "An Act to revive the incorporation of the subscribers to the Bank of North-America," and praying the same may not be passed into a law.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Lawrence Erb, late a Lieutenant in one of the five ranging companies raised for the defence of the frontiers of this state, was read, setting forth, that he continued in that service from the thirteenth day of February, 1782, until the sixth day of November, 1783, some months after the discharge of the federal army; that conceiving himself entitled to all the benefits and emoluments granted to the officers of the Pennsylvania line, under the act passed the twenty-second day of December, 1781, for raising the said companies, he applied to the Comptroller-General for that purpose, but was informed the interference of this House was necessary, therefore praying relief in the premises; and on motion, and by special order, the same was read the second time, and referred to the committee appointed November 15th last, on the petitions of Daniel Vanderslice and others, to report thereon.

A petition from John Hills, of the city of Philadelphia, was read, setting forth, that he has for some time past employed himself in compleating a map of this state, with a table of the distances, for the use of the legislature of this state, and praying he may be allowed access to the papers in the Surveyor General's office, in order to enable him to execute his design with greater exactness. Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from divers inhabitants of the county of Northumberland was read, praying certificates for debts due to the citizens of this state from the United States may be received in payment for unpatented lands.

Ordered to lie on the table.

Petitions from 576 inhabitants of the county of Northumberland were read, praying the seat of justice may be removed from the town of Sunbury to a more convenient part of said county.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from divers owners and possessors of marsh and meadow ground, situated at the west side of the mouth of Darby creek, in the township of Ridley, in the county of Chester, was read, stating divers defects in the act of Assembly passed the 14th day of March, 1761, entituled "An Act to enable the owners and possessors of the meadow at the west side of the mouth of Darby creek, by the river Delaware, in the township of Ridley, in Chester county, to keep the banks, dams, sluices and flood-gates in repair for ever, and to raise a fund to defray the expence thereof;" and praying leave to bring in a bill to alter and amend the same.

Ordered to lie on the table.

Agreeably to the order for the day, the bill, entituled "An Act to amend and explain the act, entituled An Act to encourage and protect the manufactures of this state, by laying additional duties on the importation of certain manufactures which interfere with them, and for the further encouragement of the navigation of this state," was read the third time, in part debated by paragraphs, and the further consideration thereof postponed.

SATURDAY, March 10, 1787. A. M.

The committee appointed March 1st, on the petitions of 385 inhabitants of the county of Northumberland, praying for a removal of the seat of justice, made report, which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The committee appointed March 6th, on the petition of a number of the inhabitants of the county of Luzerne, made report, which was read, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill, entituled "An Act to amend and explain the act, entituled "An Act to encourage and protect the manufactures of this state, by laying additional duties on the importation of certain manufactures which interfere with them, and for the further encouragement of the navigation of the state:" Whereupon,

It was moved by Mr. D. Clymer and Mr. J. Moore, to insert the following clause, viz.

Upon all foreign bar-iron imported into this state, forty shillings per ton; provided always, that the price current of bar-iron, of the manufacture of Pennsylvania, be not more than twenty-eight pounds per ton in the city of Philadelphia.

And on the question,---"Will the House agree to the same?" the Yeas and Nays were called by Mr. D. Clymer and Mr. J. Moore, and were as follow, viz.

YEAS. Messieurs Salter, J. Moore, Ralston, Whelen, Hubley, Work, Ross, J. Heister, Kreemer, G. Heister, D. Clymer, Mawhorter. 12.

NAYS. Messieurs Will, Morris, Fitzsimons, G. Clymer, Hiltzheimer, Gray, W. Robinson, jun. Logan, Foulke, Chapman, Upp, Evans, Lowrey, Carpenter, Clemson, M'Conaughy, Schmyser, M'Clellan, Lilley, Tyson, Eichelberger, Whitehill, Beale, Kennedy, Mitchell, Davis, P. Trexler, jun. Brown, Burkhalter, Canon, Piper, Powell, Antes, Dale, Findley, Barr, Wright, M'Dowell, Allison, Philips, Gilchreest, Smith, M'Calmont, C. Moore, Wheeler, Reiff, Clark, Miley, Carson, 49. So it was determined in the negative.

And the said bill having been fully debated by paragraphs, was ordered to be engrossed, for the purpose of being enacted into a law.

The following bills having been brought in engrossed, were severally compared at the table, enacted into laws, and the Speaker directed to sign the same, viz.

An ACT for co-operating with the state of Massachusetts-Bay, agreeably to the articles of confederation, in the apprehending of the proclaimed rebels Daniel Shays, Luke Day, Adam Wheeler and Eli Parsons.

An ACT to incorporate the Presbyterian congregation of the township of Leacock, in the county of Lancaster.

An ACT for incorporating the United Episcopal churches of Trinity church, in Oxford township, and All Saints church, in Lower-Dublin township, in Philadelphia county, and St. Thomas's church, in Whitemarsh township, in Montgomery county.

An ACT to incorporate and endow the German college and charity school, in the borough and county of Lancaster, in this state.

An ACT to alter and amend the act, entituled "An Act for the relief of officers, soldiers and seamen, who in the course of the late war have been wounded or otherwise disabled in the service of this state, or of the United States,"

[To be continued.]

Messrs. HALL & SELLERS.

OBSERVING a piece in your last paper, relative to a preconcerted plan, by a number of Jemimah Wilkinson's deluded followers, of murdering Mrs. Sarah Wilson in January last, and being credibly informed that Mrs. Wilson is disposed, if required, solemnly to affirm to the whole. Ought not so diabolical a transaction to be immediately enquired into by those who are in authority? If it should pass by unnoticed, will it not be an encouragement for that *impostor*'s adherents to persevere in the same practices, thinking thereby they render essential service to the "Friend," their acknowledged saviour? Abigail Dayton, soon after her fell design, having retreated from this state to New-Milford, in Connecticut, where she belongs, has thereby for the present prevented an investigation of *her* conduct by *our* magistrates. But as Sarah Richards, though likewise preparing for her departure, is yet among us, ought she not, with David Waggoner, and others apparently concerned, *at least* to be strictly interrogated about this dark affair?---otherwise, what security has Mrs. Wilson, whose escape from death at that time was purely providential, for her life, granting she should ever be so unfortunate as to fall into their hands again? Especially as it is supposed, though probably *proof* cannot be so easily obtained, that too many already have fallen victims, by reason of their opposition to the cause and interest of Jemimah Wilkinson.

April 3, 1787. VOX POPULI.

Philadelphia county, April 3, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given to the inrolled militia of the county of Philadelphia, that the following days are appointed by law as days of exercise, viz.

In companies the two last Mondays in the month of April, viz. the 23d and 30th.

And in battalion, in the following order:

The first battalion, commanded by Colonel Worrell, on the first Monday in May, viz. the 7th.

The second battalion, commanded by Colonel Holegate, on Tuesday, the 8th day of May.

The troops of light dragoons are to meet the second battalion, commanded by Colonel Holegate, on their parade day, by eleven o'clock in the morning.

The companies, commanded by Captains Gray, Worrell, and Streeper, are directed to join the battalion commanded by Colonel Jones, on Monday, the 14th of May.

Given under my hand, this 3d day of April, 1787.

WILLIAM COATS, Lieutenant, C. P.

Montgomery county, April 3, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given to the inrolled militia of the county of Montgomery, that the following days are appointed by law as days of exercise, viz.

In companies, the two last Mondays in the month of April, viz. the 23d and 30th.

The first battalion, commanded by Robert Currie, Esquire, on the first Monday in May, viz. on the 7th.

The second battalion, commanded by George Smith, Esquire, on Tuesday, the 8th of May.

The third battallion, commanded by Christian Weaver, Esq; on Wednesday, the 9th.

The fourth battalion commanded by Peter Richards, Esquire, on Thursday, the 10th.

The fifth battalion, commanded by Nathan Jones, Esquire, on Monday, the 14th.

The troop of light dragoons is to meet the battalion commanded by Robert Currie, Esquire, at Norriton, at the house of Mrs. Hannah Thompson, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

ABEL MORGAN, Lieutenant, C. M.

Pursuant to an order issued out of the Orphan's Court, of the county of Chester, will be sold at vendue on the premises, the fourteenth day of April next, the sale to begin at two o'clock in the afternoon,

A PLANTATION or tract of land, situate in the township of Ridley and county of Chester aforesaid, 11 miles from the city of Philadelphia, 4 from Chester and one and a half from a good landing on Darby-creek, containing about 90 acres of land, with a log-house thereon, a young bearing orchard, several acres of meadow, a large proportion of woodland, the arable land level, free from stone and easy to till; Late the estate of THOMAS WEST, deceased, and to be sold, by

March 30, 1787. § SARAH WEST, Administratrix.

MUSLINS,

A large assortment of coarse and fine, plain and figured Muslins, by the piece or bale, also a quantity of the best

Madeira and Lisbon WINES,

To be sold, by CHARLES WHARTON, at his STORE near the Drawbridge. ¶ 5w.

Was taken up on the thirty-first of March last,

A CALF.

Any person who has lost it, and can prove it to be his property, may have it again, by applying in Fourth-street, next to the Academy, at the house of JACOB EHRENZELLER.

April 3, 1787. †

WHEREAS Joseph Adams, John Jacob and Joseph Burman, fraudulently obtained a note of me in August, 1784, for Thirty five Pounds, payable to Susanna Morris, Five Pounds to be paid down, and Ten Pounds a year till the whole was paid. These are to forewarn all persons from taking an assignment of the said note, as I am determined not to pay, unless compelled by law. ¶ SAMUEL TYSON.

BARK, wanted in *Philadelphia*,

A large quantity of the following kinds, viz. Spanish, White and Black Oak, Hemlock and Birch.

IT is requested by the Tanners in this city, that the Farmers would remember the time for getting this valuable commodity, to be careful in putting it up to dry when stripped, and as speedily as they can after it is sufficiently dried to bring it to town. For want of such care, they have suffered considerable loss.

April 3, 1787. † 4 w.

WORCESTER, March 17.

A correſpondent obſerves, that had an exciſe been laid upon lying, previous to the late commotions, the revenue of the ſtate would have been ſurpriſingly augmented; though he fears by the total bankruptcy of many individuals.

The gentlemen talked of as Governors for the enſuing year, are, our preſent worthy Chief Magiſtrate, and his Excellency John Hancock, Eſquire; and for Lieutenant-Governor, his honor Thomas Cuſhing, Eſquire, who now ſuſtains that office, the Honorable General Lincoln, and the Honorable Samuel Adams.

A correſpondent ſays, "It is reported that Circular Letters have been ſent from certain men (members of the late Convention) in the towns of Lunenburg and Sutton, to all the towns in this county, requeſting the meeting of another Convention, or a ſimilar body, to meet in this town, in order to agree on certain perſons to be choſen as Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, and Senators, for the enſuing year; but as every meaſure of this kind, to INFLUENCE Elections, is a violation of the Conſtitution, we hope the report is without foundation. Let us act like FREEMEN, and preſerve our LIBERTIES."

Another correſpondent remarks, that "it will be well for the good people of this Commonwealth, in the choice of Chief Magiſtrate, to conſider of one very eſſential qualification, which the gentleman who is to fill that office ought to be poſſeſſed of in an eminent degree, that is, FINANCIERING; for from an accompliſhed Financier we are to expect the greateſt relief from the preſſure of our foreign and domeſtic debts."

BOSTON, March 23.

Laſt Sunday night, Major Samuel Cookſon arrived in town from Camp, at Pittsfield. Nothing remarkable has occurred ſince General Lincoln left that place.

Major Cookſon informs, that not leſs than 700 families, inhabitants of the three weſtern counties of this commonwealth, have, within about ſix weeks paſt removed into the ſtate of Vermont.

On Saturday evening laſt, a gentleman, lately belonging to the army, arrived in town from Northfield, in the county of Hampſhire; by him we learn that ſeveral towns in Vermont, which lie near the line of Hampſhire county, gave aſylum and protection to the rebels, who continue aſſembled there, and threaten to return, and burn and deſtroy the property of the friends to government, as ſoon as the warm weather will admit of their taking the field in force; that the *Days* are the principal leaders of theſe rebels; that the diſaſters and defeats which they have met with have ſerved only to whet their appetites for revenge, and it is the opinion of thoſe who have been ſteadily attached to government, and have made aſtoniſhing exertions for its ſupport, that nothing but the operation of the ſtricteſt juſtice on a conſiderable number of the principals will ever bring the rebels to a ſenſe of their duty. This gentleman likewiſe informs, that the troops already raiſed for the four months ſervice amount to about 600, who are formed into two regiments, one of which, commanded by colonel Newel, is poſted at Pittsfield; the other, by Colonel Badlam, at Northfield, excepting one company, which lies at Northampton.

Extract of a letter, dated Springfield, March 9.

"The diſqualifying act will never go down. Even our firmeſt friends, and moſt active citizens, think the cords of juſtice are drawn too tight---and they judge from a knowledge of the diſpoſitions, motives, number and condition of the perſons whom it affects. In ſome towns there are not men enough qualified by this law, for town officers;---this muſt tend more to irritate their minds than to bring them to a ſenſe of their duty. I ſhould, for my part, wiſh that it had not been ſo ſevere---and have yet my hopes, that ſome means will be deviſed to lay that ſpirit which I know ſome of the inſurgents poſſeſs, and which I am certain will never ſubmit patiently to force."

NEWPORT, (Rhode-Iſland) March 22.

Proceedings of Government.

A correſpondent has favoured us with a ſummary of the proceedings of the General Aſſembly at their late ſeſſions, and requeſts us to give it a place in the Herald, for the information of the public.

The Aſſembly was formed on Wedneſday morning, when the public letters were read, and a committee was appointed as uſual to report on ſuch as required the immediate attention of the Aſſembly. In their report were contained a letter from the Secretary of Congreſs, with the reſolution for reviſing the fœderal government;------and letters from the governors of Virginia and North-Carolina on the ſame ſubject------Upon the motion, whether members ſhould be appointed to repreſent this ſtate in the convention propoſed to be held in Philadelphia on the ſecond Monday of May, agreeably to the recommendation of Congreſs---the queſtion was put, and it paſſed in the negative by a majority of 23. As it was negatived from a profeſſed regard to the articles of confederation, it was propoſed that an act ſhould be paſſed for aſſeſſing this ſtate's proportion of the continental tax, agreeably to the requiſition of Congreſs, made in purſuance of the articles of confederation; but this was not agreed to, and the requiſition was again referred to a future ſeſſion.

A letter from the governor of the commonwealth of Maſſachuſetts was read, incloſing an act of the general court for apprehending ſome of the principals in the late rebellion againſt that government, and it was moved that an act ſhould be paſſed, requeſting the governor of this ſtate to iſſue a proclamation for apprehending them, if within this ſtate; but the queſtion was loſt by a majority of 22.

A committee appointed at a former ſeſſion to enquire into the conſideration of the public ſecurities due from this ſtate now reported,---That the notes which had formerly iſſued on an intereſt of ſix per cent. per annum, were given for money loaned to government during the late war---for the wages and depreciation of the officers and ſoldiers of this ſtate----for debts due from the confiſcated eſtates and government.----That the notes iſſued on an intereſt of 4 per cent. were iſſued in payment of debts due from government in 1777, and paſſed as money, and in this ſituation ſuffered a depreciation. The committee obſerved that *ſome* of the 6 per cent. notes were given for continental money which was paid out of the treaſury to individuals, in whoſe hands it had greatly depreciated, and they were therefore of opinion that *all* the notes given on an intereſt of 6 per cent. ought in equity to be ſubjected to a deduction: but it was ſaid in reply, and confeſſed, that government had received the gold and ſilver of many of the holders of the ſecurities, and that as the notes had been conſolidated, the whole of them expreſſed the real value of what had been received by the public---no deduction was therefore made from the principal ſum---but an act was paſſed, ordering the payment of the one fourth part of the principal and intereſt in the paper currency of this ſtate, now paſſing at an acknowledged depreciation of ſix for one, and ſubjecting the holders of them to a forfeiture of that proportion, who ſhall neglect to apply and receive it of the treaſurer within ſix weeks. The intereſt on the ſame to ceaſe from the riſing of the aſſembly. The committee having reported that the four per cent. notes ſhould be diſcharged at the rate of one paper dollar for 40 expreſſed in the notes----an act was read for the purpoſe, but objections ariſing from ſome of the moſt influencial characters in the preſent adminiſtration, and who are holders of theſe kind of ſecurities---this bill did not paſs the aſſembly, but was referred to their conſtituents, together with a propoſition made by the upper houſe "that a committee of three perſons be appointed to aſcertain and determine the value which was given for them by the preſent holders, and that an adjuſtment thereof be made accordingly; the tax of 20 000 l. granted at the laſt ſeſſion was now apportioned to the ſeveral towns agreeably to the apportionment of the former tax, and ordered to be paid into the treaſury on the firſt of July next. A bill was alſo drafted for the payment of the impoſt of five per cent. in the articles imported; but as this would have been a ſevere attack on the emitting act, which makes paper money a tender in all caſes, and in many inſtances could not be executed from the impracticability of the diviſion of the articles imported-----it was, after a full diſcuſſion, referred to the wiſdom of a future aſſembly.

We have often heard, ſays a correſpondent, of ſinking funds---But we know of no nation who have provided one ſo productive as that, with which this ſtate is now furniſhed. Thirty thouſand pounds in the paper currency is to be placed in the treaſury, for the diſcharge of a debt of upwards of £100,000. The creditors are now called upon to receive the one fourth part of their debts in ſix weeks.---It is to be preſumed from the preſent depreciation of the currency, that this will not be attended to, and ſo much of the debt will of courſe be forfeited.---Government will continue their calls at future ſeſſions, and in the courſe of ſix months the debt will be extinguiſhed, and the whole money provided for its diſcharge remain in the treaſury.

A propoſition was made in the lower houſe by the minority, grounded upon the embarraſſments occaſioned by the preſent depreciation of the currency, and which had already prevented the due adminiſtration of juſtice by the ſupreme court of the ſtate, "that the value of the preſent currency ſhould be aſcertained, and that the ſame ſhould, in future, be a tender in payment for debts, at the rate of four for one." The members who advocated this meaſure obſerved, that the money was now paſſing at a depreciation of ſix for one, and that the bill which was then preſented would, if paſſed into a law, in ſome meaſure reſtore credit to the money and harmony in government. They aſſured the houſe of their ſincerity in the propoſition, and if the bill met with their concurrence, it ſhould have their ſupport. It was however rejected by a majority of 17. It was then requeſted that the bill might be referred, with others, to the people, for their inſtructions to a future aſſembly. But it was denied by the houſe, and the bill was immediately voted off the table.

NEW-YORK, March 8.

A correſpondent cannot forbear expreſſing his ſatisfaction on hearing that the legiſlature at their preſent ſeſſion have paſſed an act for the prevention of uſury. An Act of this tendency has, at the preſent time, become peculiarly requiſite, as he hears that the preſſing neceſſities of ſome worthy individuals, occaſioned by the diſtreſſes incident upon the late war, have compelled them to borrow ſums to a conſiderable amount, for which a conſideration far exceeding the uſual demand has been extorted---By whom? By men, ſhall I ſay, who preſume to declare, that they conſider honor and honeſty as the jewel of great price; and ſome of whom pretend to be the followers of that *Godlike Perſonage*, who declared, "that his kingdom was not of this world." How far this profeſſion and practice coincide, he leaves it to their candor to determine.

Our correſpondent thinks he can venture the following general aſſertion, without fear of reprehenſion, viz.--"The man who can take occaſion unreaſonably to extort from his neighbour, on account of his neceſſities and diſtreſſes, and thereby to grind the face of the poor---is a *villain*, though he ſtalks in human ſhape!"

March 27. We are informed, that on account of the preſent deranged condition of the revenue of the United States, and the numerous demands on the fœderal treaſury, Congreſs a few days ſince made a conſiderable reduction in the ſalaries they have hitherto allowed their officers.

March 29. It is ſaid that ſeveral towns of Vermont, bordering upon Maſſachuſetts, give aſylum and protection to the rebels, who continue aſſembled therein, and threaten to return, and burn and deſtroy the Property to the friends of government as ſoon as the warm weather will admit of their taking the field in force.

PHILADELPHIA, April 4.

A writer in a late Virginia paper, under the ſignature of *Ariſtides*, propoſes the following teſt to be put to every candidate before election, or given in inſtructions to every member of the Aſſembly, viz.

Have you always in public and private done your utmoſt to procure a ſpeedy and equal adminiſtration of juſtice? And do you promiſe to ſupport a law for eſtabliſhing the Circuit Courts, and for lengthening the terms of all courts, ſo as they may regularly go through their dockets at leaſt twice a year?

Have you oppoſed, and will you continue to oppoſe the emiſſion of paper money, and every other unjuſt means of defrauding your honeſt creditors?

Have you and will you continue to ſupport the fidelity and punctuality of all public and private engagements?

A CARD.

THE State of Pennſylvania preſents her compliments to the purchaſers of certificates, and as ſhe has conſented to receive *ſix ſhillings and eight-pence* inſtead of *twenty ſhillings* in ſpecie, for debts due to her for lands ſold before the war, ſhe hopes the purchaſers of certificates will not object to receiving *ſix ſhillings and eight-pence* for what coſt them only *two ſhillings and ſix-pence* or *five ſhillings* in the pound. In the former inſtance the ſtate ſubmits to an act of *injuſtice*, which compels her to do no more than juſtice to her public creditors.

An ACCOUNT *of the New Paper-Mill erected by the State of Pennſylvania.*

THIS Mill is ſituated in the eaſt wing of the State-houſe. It is under the direction of John, the paper-maker, who is one of the moſt induſtrious men in the ſtate. For every pound of rags, he iſſues three reams of paper. This paper is manufactured out of the wheat, rye, horſes and cows of the farmers of Pennſylvania. It poſſeſſes wonderful powers. The men who receive it, live ever afterwards without working---for they ſell it at an immenſe profit. This paper was intended, originally, only for the inhabitants of Pennſylvania---but by a juggle of one of the projectors of the mill, who was a foreigner, it is open to the citizens of all the ſtates in the union, and eſpecially to Jerſeymen. The paper is dried and preſſed in a machine which gives it an impreſſion of the following intereſting device:----A widow, with ſix orphan children, is ſeated round a few coals of fire, weeping over the loſſes ſhe ſuſtained by the ſale of her certificates---on her left hand is a poor ſoldier, with a wooden leg and arm, begging for one ſhilling and ſix-pence, to pay his proportion of a tax for the intereſt of 90l. which he ſold to a ſpeculator---and below them both is a repreſentation of a ſale of a farmer's cows and implements of huſbandry by a collector, to ſqueeze from him his proportion of intereſt money required by the funding bill---over the whole of this diſtreſſing picture is written, in capital letters, PUBLIC CREDIT.

When this mill was firſt ſet in motion, the noiſe of its wheels was ſo great as to keep people from ſleeping; but to prevent the mill from being blamed for making this noiſe, the projectors of it ſet up a hue and cry againſt a private griſt-mill in the neighbourhood as the cauſe of the noiſe, and, contrary to every principle of juſtice, drew away in the night-time all the water from it, by making a gap in the mill-race. This did not mend the matter. The neighbourhood were ſtill unable to ſleep, or work, or to hear themſelves talk, for the noiſe of the paper-mill. They therefore repaired the breach in the mill-race, and the old griſt-mill went on again quietly, without diſturbing any body. The paper-mill now became more troubleſome than ever. Finding the materials for making the paper did not come in as faſt as uſual, John, the paper-maker, diſpatched five or ſix hundred of his journeymen into all the counties of the ſtate, to ſeize by force, and bring in all the wheat, rye, horſes and cows they ſhould come acroſs, in order to have them manufactured into paper. The conſequence of this was an inſurrection in one of the counties. But this did not alarm the projectors of the mill; for the men who oppoſed the ſeizing of their property for the uſe of the mill being very ignorant, they were not ſurprized that they ſhould not have ſenſe enough to ſee the connection between the paper-mill and public credit, and that this public credit could only be preſerved by giving three reams of paper for a pound of rags.

Pieces to be performed at the Grand Uranian Concert, the twelfth inſtant.

1.	Martini's celebrated overture,	*Authors.*
2.	Jehovah reigns, &c. an anthem from the 97th pſalm,	Tuckey.
3.	Te Deum Laudamus,	Arnold.
4.	I heard a Great Voice: an anthem from Rev. 14th,	Billings.
5.	Vital Spark: Mr. Pope's Ode on "The Dying Chriſtian to his Soul."	Billings.
6.	Inſtrumental.	
7.	Friendſhip, or the charmer of the mind: Watts's Lyric Poems,	Lyon.
8.	The Roſe of Sharon: an anthem from the 2d. of Canticles,	Billings.
9.	Sundry Scriptures:---"Ariſe, ſhine, &c.	Williams.
10.	The Hallelujah Chorus,	Handel.

We are well informed that the CHECKS for this Concert ſell ſo very rapidly, that there is every reaſon to believe there will not be one left in the courſe of three or four days at the utmoſt.

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Philadelphia, April 2, 1787.

Philadelphia, Fourth Month 2nd, 1787.

THE Contributors to the Pennſylvania Hoſpital are deſired to take notice, that the Annual Election for twelve Managers and a Treaſurer will be held at the ſaid Hoſpital on ſecond day, the ſeventh of the fifth month (May) next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

By order of the Managers,

SAMUEL COATES, Secretary.

Philadelphia, March 28, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, at the Old Coffee-Houſe, in the city of Philadelphia, on Wedneſday, the 11th day of April next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, the following Meſſuages and Lots of Ground:

No. 1. A certain Frame Houſe and Lot or Piece of Ground, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of Brown-ſtreet, between Third and Fourth-ſtreets from the river Delaware, in the townſhip of the Northern-Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth, eaſt and weſt, 20 feet, and in depth, north and ſouth, 160 feet; bounded northward by Brown-ſtreet, eaſtward by ground of Michael Grenner, ſouthward by a four feet alley, and weſtward by ground formerly of Michael Stimmel, ſubject to

No. 2. A certain two ſtory Brick Meſſuage, Bake-houſe and Lot of Ground, adjoining the above lot (being the weſterly moiety or half part of a 36 feet lot) containing in breadth, eaſt and weſt, 18 feet, and in depth, north and ſouth, 160 feet; bounded northward by Brown-ſtreet, eaſtward by ground formerly of Thomas Zeinor, ſouthward by the aforeſaid 4 feet alley, and weſtward by the other moiety or half part of the ſaid 36 feet lot, (heretofore ſold to Jacob Douterman) ſubject to a ground rent of five pounds twelve ſhillings per annum. Taken in execution as the property of Robert Baziere, and to be ſold by

JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.

Philadelphia, April 2, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, at the tavern kept by Jonathan Comley, near the premiſes, in the manor of Moreland townſhip, on Thurſday, the 12th inſtant, at two o'clock in the afternoon, A certain Meſſuage and Plantation, containing about 80 acres, with the improvements and appurtenances; bounded by lands of John Summers, Jacob Wilſon and Benjamin Witherington; taken in execution as the property of Henry Walton, and to be ſold by

JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.

N. B. Five per cent of the purchaſe money to be paid at the day of ſale in ſpecie.

Philadelphia, March 28, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, at the houſe of William Leſher, innholder in Germantown, near the premiſes, on Friday, the 13th day of April next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a certain two ſtory Stone Meſſuage, Tan-yard, Diſtil-houſe, and Tract or Parcel of Land, ſituate, lying and being in the townſhip of Germantown, and county of Philadelphia, containing about 23 acres; bounded by lands of James Logan and Samuel Aſhmead, and by the great road leading from Germantown to Philadelphia; taken in execution as late the eſtate of John Hunt, deceaſed, and to be ſold, by

JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.

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WHERE he continues to carry on the Clock and Watch making buſineſs, in its various branches, and will uſe his beſt endeavours to make his work give ſatisfaction to thoſe who employ him. Any perſon who has had the misfortune to break the horizontal wheel or cylinder of their watch, by applying to him, may depend on having it repaired as well as if ſent to London. Shallop-men, ſtage-men and others, who bring watches from the lower counties or elſewhere, to be repaired, by giving him their cuſtom, may have their own done gratis.

N. B. An Apprentice wanted. ¶

Philadelphia, March 8, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given to all perſons indebted to the eſtate of Falconer and Tomkins, by bonds, notes or book debts, that unleſs they diſcharge the ſame on or before the firſt day of May next, to John Fromberger, in Second-ſtreet, they will be put into the hands of an Attorney.

JOHN FROMBERGER,
JOSIAH WILLARD GIBBS,
CHARLES GILCHRIST,
JOHN FERGUSON,
} Aſſignees.

¶

POST-OFFICE.

Philadelphia, March 2, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given, That in conſequence of a contract entered into for that purpoſe, there will ſhortly be a regular communication, by poſt, between the town of Alexandria, in Virginia, and Pittſburgh, in this ſtate, by the route of Newgate, Leeſburg, Winchester, Fort Cumberland and Bedford. The mail will be carried weekly from May 1ſt to November 1ſt, and once a fortnight the remainder of the year. This eſtabliſhment will take place as ſoon as the neceſſary arrangements can be made.

*** If any perſon inclines to form a more direct communication between this city and Fort Pitt, by carrying a mail regularly from this office to Bedford, ſo as to tally with the Virginia poſt, that route may now be contracted for upon advantageous terms, as the excluſive privilege of carrying letters and packets for hire, between this city and Bedford, and all the emoluments ariſing therefrom, will be granted for any term, not exceeding ſeven years, to any perſon undertaking the buſineſs at his own expence, and giving ſatisfactory ſecurity for the performance.

Philadelphia, Second month 20th, 1787.

TO BE SOLD,

THE following lots of ground, with the buildings thereon erected, being part of the eſtate of Abel James, ſituate between 3 and 5 miles from the city of Philadelphia, and between the Frankford road and the river Delaware, viz.

No. 3. Containing 19 acres and 84 perches, bounded on the north by Coates's land, on the eaſt by lot No. 1, on the ſouth by the lane leading down to the landing on Frankford creek, which is a tide ſtream, emptying into the river Delaware, and affording a good navigation for flats, rafts, &c. and on the weſt, by lot No. 4. This lot is chiefly upland, with ſome meadow, and pleaſantly ſituated.

No. 4. Containing 35 acres and 98 perches, to the ſouthward of No. 3, bounding on Coates's land, lot No. 5, and on the lane leading to the landing aforeſaid, this lot is good upland, having on it ſeveral acres of wood, a farm houſe and a barn, 58 by 22 feet, and commands an agreeable proſpect.

No. 5. Containing 20 acres and 142 perches of excellent upland, bounded on the north by Coates's land, on the weſt by George Emlen, on the ſouth by the road leading to the landing aforeſaid, and on the eaſt by lot No. 4, on this lot, is one ſmall tenement and a ſmall orchard.

No. 6 and 7. Containing each 6 acres and 25 perches, and No. 15 and 16, each 6 acres and 24 perches of meadow, bounded by lands of George Emlen, George Fox, William Standley, and the lane aforeſaid, leading to the landing on Frankford creek.

No. 8. Containing 34 acres and 138 perches, of which 7 acres and 57 perches are meadow, the remainder upland, part of which is wooded, bounded eaſtward by land of Michael Hillegas, Eſq; ſouthward by the great road leading from the city to Point-no-point, and weſtward by William Standley's ground.

No. 9. Containing 28 acres and 122 perches of upland, bounded northward by lot No. 2 and Frankford creek, eaſtward by land of Thomas Boulſby, ſouthward by John Lynn and lot No. 10, and weſtward by the croſs road aforeſaid leading from Frankford road to Point road.

No. 10. Containing 8 acres and 78 perches of upland, bounded northward by lot No. 9. eaſtward by John Lynn, ſouthward by the Point road aforeſaid, and weſtward by the croſs road above mentioned, having the advantage of a front on each of thoſe roads.

No. 11. Containing 14 acres and 141 perches of excellent upland, bounded on the eaſt by the croſs road aforeſaid, on the weſt by William Standley's ground and on the north and ſouth by lots No, 8. 12. 13. 14.

No. 12. Containing 5 acres and 36 perches of meadow, bounded on the weſt by William Standley, on the north by the lane leading to the landing, and on the eaſt and ſouth by lots No. 13 and 11.

No. 13. Containing 5 acres and 38 perches of meadow, bounded north by the lane leading to the landing, on the eaſt by the croſs road aforeſaid, on the ſouth by No. 11, and on the weſt by No. 12.

No. 14. Containing 5 acres and 129 perches of meadow, adjoining the ſaid croſs road, land of Michael Hillegas, Eſq; and lots No. 8, and 11.

No. 17. Containing 18 acres and 25 perches of upland, bounded on the north by the great road leading from Point-no-Point to Philadelphia, on the eaſt by No. 18 and 19, on the ſouth by the middle of the ditch at the upper edge of the meadow, being lot No. 20, and on the weſt by land of George Fox; on this lot are two dwelling-houſes, the one of brick two ſtories high, 20 by 35 1-2 feet, a frame kitchen adjoining, 31 by 13 feet, the other a frame houſe two ſtories high, 20 by 16 feet, commanding a very pleaſant proſpect of the river Delaware, the harbour and city of Philadelphia, there is alſo a barn 60 by 25 feet, and an orchard.

No. 18. Containing 9 acres and 97 perches of upland, adjoining the above, and bounded on the Point-no-Point road, land late John Parrock's, and lot No. 19.

No. 19. Containing 9 acres and 97 perches of upland, bounded on land late John Parrock's, lots No. 17 and 18, and the middle of the ditch dividing it from the meadow lot No. 21.

Theſe three upland lots, No. 17, 18, 19, are to have a privilege of cartway to haul mud from the river Delaware, which is about half a mile diſtant from them.

No. 20. Containing 4 acres and 114 perches meadow, bounded on the weſt by George Fox, on the north by the middle of the ditch dividing it from the upland lot No. 17, and on the eaſt and ſouth by the meadow lots No. 21 and 23.

No. 21. Containing 4 acres and 132 perches of meadow, bounded by land late John Parrock's, the middle of the ditch dividing it from the upland lot No. 19, and by the meadow lots No. 20 and 22.

No. 22. Containing 8 acres and 151 perches meadow, bounded by the meadow lots No. 21, 23, 25, 27, and eaſtward by land late John Parrock's.

No. 23. Containing 4 acres and 60 perches of meadow, bounded by the meadow lots No. 20, 22, 24, and on the weſt by George Fox.

No. 24. Containing 5 and 1-4 acres of meadow, bounded by the meadow lots No. 23, 25,26, and on the weſt by George Fox.

No. 25. Containing 2 acres and 155 perches of meadow, bounded by the meadow lots No. 22, 24, 26.

No. 26. Containing 4 acres and 37 perches, bounded by the meadow lots No. 24, 25, 27, and ſouthward by the river Delaware.

No. 27. Containing 6 acres and 14 perches of meadow, bounded on the river Delaware, the meadow lots No. 22 and 26, and lands late John Parrock's.

No. 28. Containing 13 acres and 86 perches of upland, bounded north by the great road aforeſaid leading to Point-no-Point, eaſt by John Lynn, ſouth by the middle of the ditch dividing it from the meadow lot No. 30, and weſt by No. 29; on this lot are an old dwelling-houſe, an unfiniſhed new dwelling-houſe, an old barn and ſmall orchard.

No. 29. Containing 13 acres and 104 perches of upland, adjoining the above lot No. 28 and bounding on the ſaid Point-no-Point road, land of Michael Hillegas, Eſquire, and the middle of the ditch dividing from the meadow lot No. 31.

No. 30, Containing 3 acres and 54 perches of meadow, bounded by Henry Drinker, the middle of the ditch aforeſaid, and the meadow lots No. 31 and 32.

No. 31. Containing 3 acres and 20 perches of meadow, bounded by Michael Hillegas, Eſquire, the middle of the ſaid ditch, and the meadow lots No. 30 and 33.

No. 32. Containing 3 acres and 114 perches of meadow, bounded by Henry Drinker, and the meadow lots No. 30, 33, 34.

No. 33. Containing 3 acres and 128 perches of meadow, bounded by the meadow lots No, 31, 32, 35, and on the weſt by land of Michael Hillegas, Eſquire.

No. 34. Containing 3 acres and 140 perches of meadow, bounded by the meadow lots No. 32, 35, 36, 37, and on the eaſt by Henry Drinker.

No. 35. Containing 5 acres and 140 perches of meadow, bounded by Michael Hillegas, Eſquire, and the meadow lots No. 33, 34, 37.

No. 36. Containing 3 acres and 148 perches of meadow, bounded by Henry Drinker, the river Delaware, and the meadow lots No. 34 and 37.

No. 37. contianing 5 acres and 76 perches of meadow, bounded on Michael Hillegas, Eſquire, the river Delaware, and the meadow lots No. 34, 35, 36.

The lots No. 17 to 27, containing together 78 acres and 122 perches, of which 41 acres and 63 perches are meadow. And the lots 28 to 37, containing together 60 acres and 50 perches, of which 33 acres and 20 perches are meadow, being ſituate between the Point-no-Point road and the river Delaware, will be ſold either in lots as aforeſaid, or altogether, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer.

Perſons inclining to purchaſe any of the before mentioned lots, are requeſted to apply to Cadwalader Evans, in Front-ſtreet, or to Charles Jervis, in Second-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut-ſtreets, with whom drafts of the ſame are lodged, and who will make known the terms of ſale, and alſo, ſhew the grounds and buildings. To whom alſo it is deſired applications may be made by perſons diſpoſed to purchaſe any of the following deſcribed lots of ground, viz.

Three contiguous lots of meadow ground, containing about 3 and an half acres each, ſituate on the weſt ſide of the road to Glouceſter point from the city of Philadelphia, and within one mile of ſaid city, bounded by the road aforeſaid, Brockden's creek, and lands of Dr. William White and Matthew Johns.

The following lots of ground, No. 1 to 17, ſituate below and adjoining South-ſtreet, which is the ſouthern boundary of the city of Philadelphia, and bounded on the weſt by land of Samuel Powell, Eſq; and on the eaſt by a 30 feet lane, leading from the ſaid South-ſtreet to land of Eden Haydock and others.

No. 1. Containing one acre, fronting on ſaid South-ſtreet, and adjoining the 30 feet lane abovementioned.

No. 2. Containing 129 and 3-4th perches, fronting on ſaid South-ſtreet, and adjoining No. 1 and 3.

No. 3. Containing 99 and 1-2 perches, fronting on ſaid South-ſtreet, adjoining No. 2 and land of Samuel Powell, Eſq;

The above three lots, fronting on South-ſtreet, may be deſireable ſituations for building dwelling-houſes on.

No. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14. Containing each two acres, fronting on ſaid 30 feet lane, and bounded weſtward by land of Samuel Powell, Eſq;

No. 15. Two acres 81 perches. No. 16, 2 acres 85 perches. No. 17, 4 acres 56 and 1-2 perches, fronting on ſaid 30 feet lane, and bounded weſtward by land of Samuel Powell, Eſq;

The following lots, No. 1 to 15, ſituate on the weſt ſide of the Wiſſahickon road, near the bounds of the city, and about one mile from the Court-houſe, viz.

No. 1. Containing 2 acres 154 perches meadow, bounded eaſtward by Wiſſahickon road, and northward by ground of John Pemberton.

No. 2. Containing 2 acres 157 perches meadow, adjoining to the ſouthward of No. 1, and bounding likewiſe on ſaid road.

No. 3, Containing 3 acres meadow, adjoining to the ſouthward of No. 2, and bounding on ſaid great road and land of David Evans.

The above three lots are ſupplied with a ſtream of water running through them.

No. 6. Three acres 92 perches. No. 7, 3 acres 53 perches. No. 8. 2 acres 73 perches. No. 9. 2 acres 75 perches. No. 10, 2 acres 73 perches. No. 11. 2 acres 85 perches. No. 12, one acre 150 perches: Theſe ſeven are back lots, bounded weſtward on land of William Hamilton, ſeveral of them are pretty ſituations for building, being high ground, commanding an extenſive proſpect of the city of Philadelphia and its neighbourhood, and are all accommodated with proper outlets into the Wiſſahickon road.

No. 13. Containing one acre 143 perches, bounding on William Hamilton and a lane leading from Wiſſahickon road to Schuylkill.

No. 14. Containing 2 acres 134 perches, adjoining the above lane and Wiſſahickon road.

No. 15. Containing 2 acres 121 perches, adjoining No. 14, the Wiſſahickon road, and John Pemberton's ground.

Theſe three lots, with No. 12, are meadow ground, and have a ſtream of water running through them.

HENRY DRINKER,
JOSEPH SWIFT,
JOHN FIELD,
CADWALADER EVANS.
} Truſtees.

TO BE SOLD,

A CONVENIENT new two ſtory FRAME DWELLING-HOUSE, 20 feet front by 25 feet deep, ſituate in South, between Second and Third-ſtreets, two rooms on a floor with fireplaces in each, and a large garret. Alſo the lot whereon the houſe ſtands (which was improved as a garden laſt ſummer) 20 feet by 87 feet four inches, with a 12 feet alley at the back of the lot, leading from Third to Barron-ſtreet; ſubject to a ground rent of 20l. per annum. For terms enquire of FRANCIS WRIGLEY, on the premiſes.

Montgomery county, March 6, 1787.

BY virtue of a precept to me directed by David Rittenhouſe, Eſquire, ſole truſtee of the General Loan-office of the commonwealth of Pennſylvania, will be expoſed to public ſale, on the premiſes, on Monday, the 9th day of April next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a Meſſuage and Tract of Land, containing 200 acres, or thereabouts; the houſe is now occupied as a public houſe, ſituate in Upper Merion townſhip, bounded by lands of Samuel Holſten, Benjamin Eaſtburn, and the river Schuylkill; late the eſtate of Peter Holſten, deceaſed, but taken execution, and to be ſold, by

ZEBULUN POTTS, Sheriff.

LE TELIER, and Co.

INFORM their friends and the public, they have removed to the weſt ſide of Front-ſtreet, the fifth door from the ſtore formerly occupied by them at the corner of ſaid ſtreet and Market-ſtreet, where they are ſtill carrying on the grocery buſineſs in as extenſive a manner and on the ſame reaſonable terms as formerly. c t f Philad. Dec. 26, 1786.

THREE POUNDS Reward.

WHEREAS ſome perſons have lately laid down in ſeveral of the ſtreets of this city, in open violation of the law, and exceedingly offenſive to the inhabitants, quantities of filth out of neceſſaries. Any perſon that will give information to the Street Commiſſioners, at the Court-houſe, on any Tueſday or Friday evening, of the perſon or perſons that have ſo offended, or ſhall ſo offend hereafter, and bring him or them to conviction, ſhall receive the above reward.

March 15, 1787. By order of the Board,
GEORGE HONEY, jun. Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of John Cole and Nathaniel Hill, inſolvent debtors, confined in the goal of Salem county, that they be and appear before two or more of the Judges of the inferior Court of Common Pleas, at Salem, in ſaid county, on the 9th day of April next, to ſhew cauſe, if any they have, why an aſſignment of the ſaid inſolvents property ſhould not be made for the benefit of their creditors, and their bodies be releaſed from confinement, agreeable to an act of the legiſlature of the ſaid ſtate, made and provided in ſuch caſes.

March 8, 1787. ‡

To be SOLD or RENTED,

A VALUABLE Lot of Land, ſituate in Cheltenham, and lying on the old York road, about 9 miles from Philadelphia, and near John Shoemaker's mill, whereon is erected a good two ſtory ſtone houſe, with three rooms on a floor, and a ſmall kitchen back, with a convenient ſtore adjoining ſaid houſe, occupied and known by the name of Shoemaker's Store; alſo, good ſtabling, with other out houſes, ſuitable for any public buſineſs, and is an excellent ſtand. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe or rent, may know the terms by applying to the ſubſcriber, on the premiſes. THOMAS SHOEMAKER.

February 28, 1787. ¶

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of THOMAS WHARTON, ſen. late of this city, deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment to the ſubſcribers; and all thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid eſtate are deſired to bring in their accounts, properly atteſted, to OWEN JONES, jun. Acting Executor.

RACHEL WHARTON,
WILLIAM WHARTON,
OWEN JONES, jun.
WILLIAM FISHER,
} Execut.

Philad. Nov. 16, 1786. 3 m.

Falls townſhip, Bucks county, March 2, 1787.

To be Sold by private Sale,

A NOTED and old accuſtomed Tavern, lying on the main road leading from Philadelphia to Trenton, and near the 27 mile ſtone; there is on the premiſes a good frame dwelling-houſe, with a piazza in front, a good kitchen, and other out-houſes, with a large roomy ſtable and ſmall barn; the plantation contains 35 acres of land, 5 of which is good bottom meadow, and 5 more may readily be made, a good proportion of woodland, and a good bearing apple orchard, the remainder good tilable land. For particulars enquire of the ſubſcriber, near the Falls Meetting-houſe. § DANIEL LOVETT.

To be SOLD or LET,

The ninth of April, 1787,

A GOOD Plantation in the townſhip of Readington, Hunterdon county, New-Jerſey, containing 278 acres, on it is a good houſe four rooms on the lower floor, a ſtone milch-houſe near it, and a conſtant good ſpring of water in it, a barn and ſtabling, a good orchard; this plantation is ſuitable for a large ſtock at preſent, but may be trebled, it only wants a ſuitable owner living on it, it is all naturally good, the greateſt part of it may be made into good meadow, not boggy, but ſound ground, it is nearly a peninſula, one half cleared, the fields are fertile for paſture or grain, and water in each of them, which ſhews that it is ſuitable for as above, or a large dairy; the now meadow may be near 30 acres. This plantation is ſo ſeated that a fence may be made round the greateſt part of it, that may ever be a good fence with little trouble, this would have been done but the owner lived at too great a diſtance to ſee it done properly. No part of it ſhould be let grow too high, the lopping may pay for that trouble. It now rents for ſixty pounds a year to David and William Whartman, their leaſe expires the 5th of April. One third of the purchaſe money will be expected at the ſigning of the deed. Should any incline to purchaſe before that day, they ſhall be informed of the whole, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living in the Great Valley, Cheſter county, 21 miles from Philadelphia, and 60 from the plantation.

¶ JOSEPH MITCHELL.

Salem, February 10, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of DANIEL LEEDS, to meet at the houſe of Edward Siddons, in the town of Salem, on Monday, the 2d day of April next, to examine and aſcertain the debts due to each creditor: And alſo to receive their reſpective proportions of the firſt diviſion of the ſaid DANIEL LEEDS eſtate, from

SAMUEL THOMPSON,
JOHN SMITH
} Aſſignees.

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